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SUBJECT: HONG KONG/EC TEXTILE AGREEMENT

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WE QUIZZED MEYNELL, EC COMMISSION DIRECTOR IN CHARGE OF TEXTILE AFFAIRS ABOUT WASHINGTON'S CONCERN (PARAGRAPH 3, REFTEL) OVER THE DANGEROUS PRECEDENT THAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN SET IN THE EC/HONG KONG TEXTILE AGREEMENT BY THE INCLUSION OF NON-TEXTILE PRODUCTS. MEYNELL RESPONDED CATEGORICALLY THAT PARAGRAPH 14 OF ARTICLE 4 OF THE AGREEMENT WAS NOT NEGOTIATED WITH THE INTENTION OF INCLUDING NON-TEXTILE PRODUCTS. THERE IS NO EFFORT TO INCLUDE PRODUCTS BEYOND THOSE COVERED BY THE LTA. THE PURPOSE OF THE ARTICLE WAS TO ALLOW THE EC TO REQUEST CONSULTATIONS ON TEXTILE PRODUCTS SIMILAR TO PRODUCTS COVERED IN THE AGREEMENT BUT WHOSE TEXTILE FIBER CONTENT IS DIFFERENT FROM THAT OF THE PRODUCTS COVERED BY THE AGREEMENT. GREENWALD

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